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### Joseph Gobe Byrd

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**A Celebration of Life  
For  
Mr. Joseph Toke Byrd**

Sunrise  
September 18, 1915

Sunday, July 25, 1999 – 3:00 p.m

Sunset  
July 22, 1999

Sams Creek Baptist Church  
Metter, Georgia

Rev. John Leggett, Eulogist  
Interment – Sam Creek Church Cemetery

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*Tribute*

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*Obituary*

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*Order of Service*

## **Order of Service**

Processional

Presiding.....Rev. Bennie Brinson

Song of Praise.....I'll Fly Away

Invocation.....Elder James Johnson, Jr.

Scriptures – “Old and New Testament”

Selection.....Choir

Reflections.....Ms. Barbara Hendrix

Ms. Joy West

Obituary.....Silently Read

Acknowledgments.....Hodges Funeral Home Staff

Selection.....Choir

Eulogy.....Rev. John Leggett

Recessional.....Peace In The Valley

Interment.....Sams Creek Cemetery

### **Honorary Pallbearers**

Mr. Andrew J. Mercer

Mr. Homer L. Burgess

Mr. Arris Durden

Deacons, Stewards and Trustees of Sams Creek and St. Luke Churches

### **Pallbearers**

Sons and Grandsons

### **Floral Attendants**

Sams Creek Ushers and Friends

*Order of Service*

## **Acknowledgment**

*No one knows pain except one who has been afflicted. No one knows sorrow unless he has been called to grieve by it, and there is no heart that can bear burdens without the warmth shown by family and friends.*

*We want you to know that we're especially touched by the comfort and reassurance you've brought to us through acts of love and sympathy. Thanks for your words of encouragement, flowers, cards and food. Your prayers and kindness have meant so much to us. May God bless you.*

*The Family*

## **Repairs**

*Sams Creek Community Center*

*Services Entrusted To:*

### **Hodges Funeral Home**

Metter, Georgia

Y'lonne Hodges, Licensed Mortician/Manager

Percy Hodges/Jerry Gibson, Licensed Morticians

(912)685-2400